September 2009 301-773-8360

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

by Mayor Julia Mosley

Call 301-773-7891 to contact the Mayor. The Mayor's door at the Community Center is open to visitors on **Monday evenings** from 7:30 to 9:30 PM, except holidays or if otherwise posted.

COMMUNITY FARMERS MARKET AND MAYOR AND COUNCIL OPEN HOUSE SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 26th

PLEASE JOIN US!! THE COUNCIL AND I WILL BE HOSTING AN OPEN HOUSE AT THE COMMUNITY FARMERS MARKET ON SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 26th FROM 8AM UNTIL 1PM. CHEVERLY AVENUE WILL BE CLOSED FOR PART OF THE DAY AROUND LEGION PARK FOR A COMMUNITY CELEBRATION.

The Mayor and Council and Police Chief have joined with the Community Market in sponsoring the Farmers Market and Open House on Cheverly Avenue. This is an effort on the part of the Council to gain visibility for the wonderful farmers market that has been in Cheverly for two years. In addition to all the terrific farmers and vendors who support the market, Council will have a table as will the Police Department. We will be extending invitations to Town organizations and Cheverly's schools as well, so stay tuned for the details. If you haven't been to one of the markets normally held at the Community Center, you will not be able to miss us on Cheverly Avenue!! Walk, bike or drive and support your community. The Council and I will be manning an "open house" table from 8-1 PM, so drop by and say hello.

CHEVERLY PUBLIC SAFETY DAY

Monday Sept. 21, 2009 — Town Park Pavilion 5:30—8:00 PM Food & Entertainment Bring the kids (See flyer inside)

LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

Monday, Sept. 7, 2009

Offices Closed No Trash Pickup



The FALL FLEA MARKET

Sponsored by the Recreation
Council, will be held on Saturday, October 3rd from
9:00AM to 2:00 PM at the
Community Center.

Tables are \$15 and reservations start on Tuesday, September 1st.
Call Barbara at 301-773-5883. The Flea
Market is very popular and tables go fast, so

make reservations early.

There will be plenty of bargains, good food and fresh baked goods for sale. See you Saturday, October 3rd, rain or shine, event is indoors!

CONGRATULATIONS TO TOWN ADMINISTRATOR DAVID WARRINGTON AND DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS JUAN TORRES

Residents may have noticed the Town sign on Cheverly Ave declaring August 2009 as Juan Torres Month in Cheverly and congratulating him on his 20th Anniversary of service to the Town. This month the sign will be announcing September as David Warrington Month, celebrating his 20 years of service to the Town. At the July Town meeting, Council had a surprise celebration for these two dedicated and talented men who have served our community with such distinction. More (and pictures) in next month's newsletter. Please stop by Public Works and the Town Office to congratulate them or just introduce yourself.

MANDATORY RECYCLING

The Council tries to meet with The Director of Public Works and the Chief of Police at least once a year and at the July Worksession, we met with DOPW Juan Torres. A number of issues were discussed including street, sidewalk and gutter repairs, the state of the Town's tree canopy, upcoming repairs to the 64th Avenue Bridge in Ward 4 and repaving of 64th Ave in Wards 3, 4 and 6, the status of the Town's fleet of trucks, plows and trash trucks as well as trash pick-up, including the possibility of mandatory recycling. For many years, staff has recommended that Council institute a mandatory recycling program as a way to save the Town tens of thousands of dollars each year and improve the environment. This has always been considered by Council but ultimately rejected in favor of increased education of residents on the benefits of recycling.

I believe that at this time the Council is certainly leaning toward adopting a mandatory recycling program. Both Mr. Torres and the Town Administrator have made an irrefutable case that if there was 100% compliance, Cheverly would save, conservatively, \$30,000 to \$40,000 each year and significantly reduce the amount of trash taken to the landfill. Despite many years of newsletter articles, flyers and public education on the benefits of recycling, there still is a minority of residents who refuse to recycle. Those residents who do recycle are subsidizing those residents who don't by virtue of the Town spending tax dollars in higher dumping fees. With single stream collection and pick-up, recycling has become much simpler than in the past and as always, elderly residents can contact Public Works for help and assistance with all trash pick-up. Currently, there is no ordinance that enables the Town to fine a resident who puts out hundreds of pounds of recyclable trash in their regular trash. When this occurs, and it often does, our Public Works staff tries to compensate by leaving the trash and returning to pick-up the recyclables later in the day-extra staff time, extra trips in Town trucks and wasted tax dollars.

Should Council chose to adopt a mandatory policy, there would be a long period of education and Mr. Torres would concentrate on flagrant violators—no trash police looking for a stray aluminum can or glass bottle.

Please read Mr.Torres' article elsewhere in this newsletter. Council does want to hear from residents and this will be discussed for many months enabling residents to be heard and have input on whether such a policy should be approved and if so, what that program would entail.

SPEED CAMERAS IN TOWN

Council held a public hearing at the August Town meeting and introduced Ordinance 0-3-09 authorizing speed cameras in Cheverly. As is our policy, any ordinance or significant change in Town policy goes through three televised Town meetings before being voted on and this legislation would be scheduled to be adopted at the October Town meeting. Speed cameras have been discussed at many meetings and several months ago Council authorized the Town Administrator, Town Attorney and Chief of Police to research the new law and interview potential contractors. Many of us attended seminars at the MML Annual Convention in June and staff talked to all contractors who would be bidding.

Council has always maintained that we looked at this only as a means to reduce speeding—not as a revenue source. I mentioned at a number of meetings that because of the specifics of the new law, the Town would most likely not see a revenue increase but that the program might cost the Town money. After receiving proposed contracts for 2 mobile cameras, staff is concerned that this program could cost the Town as much as \$5,000 or more each month—or \$60,000 a year—certainly more than we find acceptable. There are several specific provisions of the law that create the problems for Cheverly and other smaller municipalities the law was enacted to help. First, is the provision that speeders must be going more than 12 MPH over the posted speed limit. We believe this is too generous and would mean that someone would have to be going 37 MPH on Cheverly Avenue and most of our residential streets and 27 MPH in front of our schools—certainly reckless speeding. Also, there is a \$40 cap on each ticket. So it is the same fine whether the driver was going 40 MPH or 80 MPH on Cheverly Ave. We would not be able to use the cameras after 8PM when some of the worst speeding occurs on Cheverly Avenue for example, when our Police officers are patrolling our neighborhoods rather than doing speed control. Finally, unlike the contractual arrangement with red light cameras where a municipality receives a portion of each ticket, the speed camera law dictates that a municipality enter into a contract for the cameras with no guarantee of breaking even on revenue.

Mayor's FYI cont'd

So Council is still on track to enact the ordinance at the October Town Meeting that would enable the Town to have speed cameras, but we *may* not be implementing the program in October as we had hoped. We are continuing to research and discuss our options with the Town Attorney and may decide to work with other municipalities and our State Delegates and Senator to modify the current law to make it practical for towns like Cheverly.

INCREASING RENTAL LICENSE PENALTY

Also at the August Town meeting, Council introduced Ordinance 0-4-09 which would increase the penalty from \$50 to \$500 for renting a house or apartment without obtaining a Town rental license. Town Administrator David Warrington attended a seminar at the MML Convention where other municipalities showed that they had improved compliance considerably by similarly increasing the fines. In Cheverly, a home owner must apply for a rental license (\$100 per year fee) and be inspected for compliance. The Code Enforcement Officer inspects the property for compliance for safety issues like smoke and fire detectors, safe stairs and hand rails, safe egress etc. He also addresses code enforcement issues which sometimes can be a problem particularly with owners who do not live in Town or even in Maryland. These inspections can also assist the home owners in cases where renters have damaged their properties. The apartments in Cheverly are similarly inspected. Staff feels, and Council agrees that the current \$50 fine does not deter owners from circumventing the licensing process and the \$500 fine is very much in line with other towns. This will be adopted at the October Town meeting.

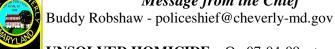
Next month, look for an explanation of expenditures voted on during the August Town Meeting.

At this time, Council expects that **Pepco** will be appearing at the Oct. town meeting to talk about their proposed maintenance plan for the Town. Watch for details and confirmation of their attendance.

Cheverly RECREATION COUNCIL

The first meeting for the year will be Tuesday, **September 22nd at 7:00 PM** in the conference room at the Community Center. It's an open meeting, we like to see new faces and get new ideas. Topics of discussion will be the Fall Flea Market and the summer playground.

Message from the Chief



OLICE UNSOLVED HOMICIDE – On 07-04-09, at approximately 5:15 PM, Spencer Morris III was shot and killed in front of his residence in the

3300 block of Cheverly Avenue. As best as we know at this time, he was playing basketball with two other African American males at the Town Park, 6401 Forest Road, just prior to returning to his residence. It is imperative that the police talk to these two males or any other person that Spencer frequently played basketball with around the Town. If you have any information, please contact Detective Paul Dougherty at PGPD Homicide at (301) 772-4925 or the Cheverly Police Department at (301) 341-1055. CrimeSolvers is offering a \$25,000 reward for information that leads to an arrest in this case.

CRIME IS DOWN STILL, BUT – While crime in the Town continues to be down for the year, there has been a recent rise in breaking and enterings (B&E's). There were 11 such B&E's in August, the highest total by far this year, and the majority occurred between 10:00 AM and 3:00 PM Monday through Friday. The most frequently stolen items were laptop computers, game systems, cash, and firearms. Please be extra vigilant during the above hours and immediately contact the police (Dial 9-1-1) if you see any suspicious persons in or near your neighbor's yards. In addition, please schedule a free home security survey at your earliest convenience and record the serial numbers of all electronic equipment in your home. The CPD has instant access to the Pawn system in Maryland and Washington, D.C., but this is only useful if serial numbers were obtained from the owner(s) at the time the crime was reported.

TIP OF THE DAY – Although nighttime burglaries are rare, the panic button that usually accompanies your car keys also serves as an excellent emergency notification device in the event someone attempts to gain entry into your home while you are there. The horn sound activated by the panic alarm is not governed by the County's prohibition against audible burglar alarms or noise amplification devices. Please keep your keys on your nightstand when you retire for the night.

C-PACT MEETING – The next C-PACT Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 15, 2009, at 7:00 PM at the police station. Final planning for the Public Safety Day will take place at this meeting. I encourage all interested persons to attend.

WOMENS SELF-DEFENSE CLASS - The CPD is considering another Women's Self-Defense class for the Cheverly community. Previous classes have always been well attended and I am trying to see if there is enough interest to sponsor another such class. If you have such an interest, please give Janet a call at 301-341-1055 and express your desire to attend. If we get enough women, somewhere around 30 attendees, the Department will sponsor another class. Thank you in advance for your interest.

ELDERWATCH – The CPD regularly visits the Town's elderly and infirmed in an effort to keep this important segment of the community up to date on crime issues and neighborhood events. These 10-15 minute visits are designed, not only for information sharing, but also to socialize. If any Cheverly resident knows of any elderly or infirmed persons living alone whom they believe would benefit from such contact, please notify Janet at the police station (301-341-1055).

Crime Report for July 2009 (All Addresses Are in **Hundred Blocks**)

Total Arrests for the Month: 36 Total Traffic for the Month: 486

Total Crime (Difference, YTD 2007-2008): -26%

| 07-02-09 | 0814 hrs | 4800 Lydell Road | Stolen Auto/90 Olds |
|----------|----------|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 07-03-09 | 0730 hrs | 3100 63 rd Avenue | Theft |
| 07-03-09 | 1025 hrs | 5800 Annapolis Rd | Robbery Citizen |
| 07-04-09 | 0106 hrs | 2300 Belleview Ave | B&E Residential |
| 07-04-09 | 0136 hrs | 5800 Dewey Street | Assault (Arrest) |
| 07-04-09 | 1713 hrs | 3100 Cheverly Ave | Homicide |
| 07-05-09 | 1530 hrs | 2900 Hillside Ave | Theft |
| 07-06-09 | 0930 hrs | 6500 Cedar Street | Theft |
| 07-07-09 | 1030 hrs | 5600 Jason Street | B&E Residential |
| 07-07-09 | 1728 hrs | 2300 Park Way | B&E Residential |
| 07-07-09 | 1850 hrs | 3100 Belleview Ave | B&E Residential |
| 07-08-09 | 1842 hrs | 6300 Joslyn Place | Theft |
| 07-12-09 | 0035 hrs | 6300 Landover Rd | B&E Residential |
| 07-13-09 | 0032 hrs | 6300 Landover Rd | B&E Residential |
| 07-14-09 | 1240 hrs | 1800 62 nd Avenue | Theft |
| 07-15-09 | 1530 hrs | 6500 Landover Rd | Theft |
| 07-16-09 | 0048 hrs | 1700 61st Avenue | B&E Residential |
| 07-16-09 | 0115 hrs | 6500 Landover Rd | Assault (Arrest) |
| 07-16-09 | 1713 hrs | 6300 Landover Rd | Theft |
| 07-17-09 | 0900 hrs | 6300 Landover Rd | Theft |
| 07-17-09 | 1634 hrs | 6500 Landover Rd | Theft |
| 07-17-09 | 1931 hrs | 2400 Park Way | B&E Residential |
| 07-20-09 | 1156 hrs | 1800 62 nd Avenue | B&E (Attempt) |
| 07-22-09 | 0622 hrs | 6300 Landover Rd | Assault |
| 07-24-09 | 0200 hrs | 1700 62 nd Avenue | Stolen Auto/97 Honda |
| 07-24-09 | 1730 hrs | 2600 Cheverly Ave | B&E Residential |
| 07-25-09 | 1730 hrs | 2400 Valley Way | B&E Residential |
| 07-25-09 | 1804 hrs | 6500 Landover Rd | Theft |
| 07-25-09 | 1940 hrs | 6400 Landover Rd | Theft |
| 07-26-09 | 0116 hrs | 6000 Arbor Street | Theft |
| 07-30-09 | 1045 hrs | 2500 Lake Avenue | Theft |
| 07-31-09 | 1315 hrs | 6400 Landover Rd | Theft |
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SOLICITORS – In light of a number of recent incidents of soliciting without a permit, all residents are encouraged to call the police whenever a solicitor confronts them. Solicitors in Cheverly are required to display a permit issued by the Town (that must be displayed upon request of any Town resident) and they are required to leave private property immediately when told to do so by a homeowner or face trespassing charges. Please do not hesitate to call the CPD if a solicitor knocks on your door.

C-PACT WEBSITE: I encourage every reader to visit the C-PACT website located at http://cpact.squarespace.com. Police Department personnel visit this site everyday and the latest information is always available.

ACTIONS TAKEN

Votes were unanimous unless otherwise noted.

Town Meeting—August 13, 2009

- ☐ CM Tevault Motion to excuse Mayor Mosley. Schachter seconded.
- CM Schachter Motion to authorize the Town Administrator to enter into a contract with Espina Paving Inc. for repairs to the 64th Ave. Bridge in the amount of \$29,860. CM Eldridge seconded.
- CM Eldridge motion to authorize the Town Administrator to enter into a contract with VMP Construction for the repaying of 64th Avenue in the amount of \$185,314.15, authorize a budget adjustment of \$12,400 to the road improvement account and pending approval of the contract by the Town Attorney. CM Tevault seconded. .
- CM Callahan motion to authorize the Town Administrator to enter into a contract with Pioneer Builders for siding and gutter repairs to the Cheverly Community Center in the amount of \$17,500. CM Eldridge seconded.
- CM Callahan motion to authorize the Town Administrator to enter into a contract for the demolition of 5811 Landover Rd with G&D Construction in the amount of \$12,900. CM Tevault seconded.
- CM Watson motion to adopt Resolution R-4-09 Supporting the Designation of an Enterprise Zone in the Town of Cheverly. CM Schachter seconded.

TENTATIVE AGENDAS

Worksession—August 27, 2009

Meeting Agendas are updated on website: www.cheverlymd.gov, on Cheverly Comcast channel 71 and Fios 35.

Town Meetings broadcast LIVE on Comcast 71 and Fios 35. Rebroadcast everyday—Noon, 6:00 pm & 10:00 pm.

RECYCLING

A Volunteer Program or a Mandatory Program



The Town's current recycling program is a volunteer participation program. A quantifiable option that not only helps reduce the industry's use of raw materials but one that can save by reducing the moneys paid by the Town to bury the household generated refuse.

It can be construed that once the program's benefits and goals are understood everyone in Town generating refuse would participate. This is especially true now that the recyclables do not need to be separated and can all be placed in one container.

Unfortunately, fewer residents are considering the benefits of recycling and are opting to dispose of recyclables with their regular trash. It is quite sad to see metal, glass, aluminum containers and paper inside the trash cans. These actions negatively impact the environment and the funds that the Town needs for public improvement. These public improvements to the Town's infrastructure benefit and touch everyone that lives and visits our Town.

In order to curb cost, a mandatory recycling program was the subject of a light discussion by the Mayor and Town Council. The adoption of a Town ordinance that requires all residents to recycle will also include inspections and consequences for those that fail to recycle.



Ordinances have a place in the orderly running of a municipality. Perhaps the time has come for such an act. Maybe the stars have aligned themselves in such manner that this is the right time for the Town to take this step and order mandatory recycling.

However, what do you think? Is mandatory recycling such a draconian act that residents may not view recycling in a positive light? Does the Town need to move to mandatory recycling? Is it not sufficient to know of the common benefits of recycling and thereby embrace it in its volunteer form?

In the next few months your elected official and the department of Public Works will be monitoring, evaluating, talking to residents, and taking any other step necessary to determine what is the best possible answer for Cheverly. You are encouraged to seek information and become part of the discussion as a Cheverly satisfactory solution is formulated to the issue of volunteer vs. mandatory recycling.

You are welcome to email the Director of public works at publicworksdirector@cheverly-md.gov and/or cheverlypw our tweeter account. And while the discussion progresses consider that recycling reduces the use of raw materials and saves the Town's money in tipping fees.

TOTTER TRASH CANS NOT ACCEPTABLE

The Public Works Dept. is noticing more and more of these larger 64 gallon "totter" trash receptacles. Our trash trucks do not have the necessary "tipping" equipment to pick up these larger cans. You are asked to use up to 32 Gallon containers with tight fitting lids (see pictures below) Anything larger is NOT ACCEPTABLE, and my be subject to a fine.

YES





NO

Community Bulletin Board

The Cheverly Recreation Council is sponsoring homeschool Physical Education classes; to be held at the Cheverly Community Center, on Tues & Weds 1:00- 2:30; from 9/14 - 12/14. Cost is \$50 for one day/week & \$75 for two days/week. Class will include soccer, basketball, calisthenics, dodge ball, flag football etc. If interested in participating, please email chandrabirdie@hotmail.com

Liberate plants! Join local environmentalists for **FLBC** Work Session. Come help liberate plants from overgrown vines on Sat. Sept. 26 between 9 am and noon. Join **Friends of Lower Beaverdam Creek** at their regular end-of-the-month work session, which will convene at 9 am at Woodworth Park tot lot on Wayne Place. Come even for an hour, anytime between 9 am and noon. For more information, contact Joani Horchler at 301-322-2620 or horcpool97@aol.com.

Progressive Cheverly—All Welcome. We are jumping back into action for the fall season. Thursday, Sept. 3rd, 7:00pm: Forum: **Health care reform**. Will it happen? What will it look like? Can the competing political positions and stakeholder differences produce a good health care system? If you have good health insurance, why should you care about the outcome? We will have a special speaker who works on Capitol Hill to provide an insider's view and a another speaker from Health Care for America Now to talk about grassroots organizing in Maryland. Business meeting to follow. Thur. Oct. 1st, 7:00pm: Forum: **Transgender 101.** Come learn about and ask questions about "what is transgender" and the current challenges facing the transgender community in Maryland, including the push for state legislation to protect transgender individuals from discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations. Business meeting to follow with annual election of officers.. All events at Judith Hoyer Early Childhood Center, 2300 Belleview Ave. progressivecheverly.org

Cheverly Day 2010 IS _____(YOU DECIDE!)

Thanks to every person and organization that made Cheverly Day 2009 a tremendous success. It's that time of year again – time to decide when we'll hold the next Cheverly Day! Go to www.cheverlyday.com to vote on the date you think Cheverly Day 2010 should be held. (You can also leave a note at Town Hall for the Cheverly Day Committee telling us your preferred date.) VOTE A.S.A.P. – the winning date will be announced within the next two months. Also, WE NEED VOLUNTEERS for 2010 –email Nick at nick@cheverlyday.com if you want to help revive the Magazine or the Race, or if you want to make the Dance, the Midway and amusements even better. Stay tuned!

Golf Anyone? **St Ambrose Men's Club** is sponsoring it's annual Golf Scramble at the Bowie Country Club on Sept 25th. Get a foursome together and join the fun with your Cheverly Neighbors. For \$100, you get range balls, golf fee, cart, box lunch, dinner and open bar afterwards, as well as chances to win door prizes, longest drive and closest to the pin. Please call or email Steve Paul (301) 833-7401 or sppaul@co.pg.md.us. If you or your business would like to sponsor a hole for \$125 please call Steve.

Woman's Club - We are hosting an ongoing Boy's Peace Club for boys between the ages of 8-12 years in town every other Wednesday (exact Wednesdays to be announced) from 3-5 p.m. at the Langs' home...6424 Forest Rd. The group will be led by MJ and Jerry Park of Little Friends for Peace. The Parks live in Mt. Rainier and have been teaching skills for peace to children and adults for more than 30 years. They have led hundreds of groups throughout the years and held many summer peace camps. In 2008 they won the National Pax Christi Peace Teacher of the Year Award. The group is not a religiously affiliated group. The cost begins at \$12 per hour. There are adjustments for a 2nd hour, for more than 1 child and based on need. For more details, you can call - Joyce Lang at 773-2211 or email joycelang@verizon.net. We view this great opportunity for you and your children as an extension of Cheverly's May Month of Peace. We hope you'll be interested in registering your child(ren). For additional information about Little Friends for Peace go to www.lffp.org.

Cheverly Tree Commission is looking forward to November tree plantings! If your block or street needs a boost in restoring or maintaining its tree canopy, please contact the Tree Commission. We are looking for "block captains" to assist in the organization and follow-up of our new planting efforts. The next Tree Commission meeting will be Tuesday, Sept 15, 7:30 PM – 9 PM, at the Cheverly Community Center. For more information, contact Michael Giese, Commission member, at 301-773-7318 or mg9588a@msn.com. Final thought: As the dog days of summer are upon us, please remember that the street trees in front or alongside of your home always welcome a "drink" – please water them as needed during dry spells. This will help our community stay green and growing!

Cheverly United Methodist Church resumes normal Sunday schedule beginning Sept 13. Sundays 9 to 9:45 a.m. -- Prayer & Praise Service; 10 to 10:45 -- Sunday School for adults and children; 11 to Noon -- Family Service. Sept 20 Cheverly United Methodist Church celebrates the new school year with a picnic at the Town Park Pavilion, 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. Neighbors welcome. If you need a contact number, please use the CUMC telephone number 301-773-1314.

Community Bulletin Board

The Cheverly Garden Club, like a fall blooming flower, will be bursting back into action after its summer hiatus with its first fall meeting on Monday, Sept 21. As a special treat, we will be hosted by Harold and Pat Belcher in their home garden at 3006 Crest Ave, for a presentation on azalea cultivation and tour of their garden. Harold is president of the Ben Morrison chapter of the Azalea Society of America, so bring your azalea-related questions. We will meet at 6:30 PM (note the earlier time)! Meet and mingle with friends, neighbors, and fellow gardeners – refreshments will be served! For more information, contact Michael Giese, club president, at 301-773-7318 or mg9588a@msn.com. Looking ahead, the club's Oct meeting will be held on Mon, Oct 19, 7 PM to 9 PM, in the 4th floor parlor of the Cheverly United Methodist Church, and will include a workshop on garden and household composting by local Master Gardeners (and club members) David and Casey Kneipp. The Cheverly Garden Club welcomes new members at all times of the year. Whether you love hands-on, dirt-under-your-nails gardening, or visiting and discussing exotic show gardens, please come and join us Annual club membership dues are \$15, and includes membership in the National Capital Area Garden Clubs, Inc.

Charity Walk for SIDS on Sunday Sept. 13

The annual SIDS Charity Walk will be held Sunday, Sept 13, at Buddy Attick Park in Greenbelt. Most walkers will start at 9 am, but-- to accommodate church schedules-it is fine to start anytime between 8:15 and 11 am. The Walk is one and a fourth miles around beautiful Greenbelt Lake. A light breakfast will be served. Proceeds will benefit Cribs for Kids (free cribs and crib sheets for low-income families), bereavement support, medical research, and public education. School/community service hours are available. Pets on leashes are welcome. Registration is free, but tax-deductible donations are greatly appreciated. To register or donate online, please visit www.SidsSurvivalGuide.org. For more information, please call Joani Horchler at 301-322-2620 or email sidses@aol.com.

The Cheverly History Club will meet on Wed, Sept. 9th at 7:30PM in the Community Center. The Club will be scheduling a field trip to a local historical site. Also we will be looking into converting the 'Cheverly Citizen' newspaper into digital images and posting it on our website http://sites.google.com/site/cheverlyhistory.

Cheverly Community Market

Sept Markets: the 12th (at the Community Center) and the 26th (on Cheverly Ave!) Did the Aug heat zap your yard's produce? On the 12th Market bring your plants or cuttings and get free advice and tips for next season from Cheverly Master Gardeners. In the meantime, local farms: Reberts, Shlagel and Swann will wow you with their late summer bounty. Not to mention the specialties of C&E Farms, Clan Stewart Meats, Simple Pleasures Ice Cream and other favorites. Going even more local -Martha's heavenly Jams and the bread, pastries, and Moctec tortillas of Cheverly's Bread Basket will delight you; and we'll welcome back Liz Esposito's Cookies to Cocktails mouth watering treats. Look for Maryland Seafood and Wine too! As always CUMC's fair-trade goods makes our coffee and tea needs guilt free. And providing the perfect sound track will be Cheverly's own Hot Noodles. Join us for a particularly special Market on the 26th on Cheverly Ave near Legion Park featuring the Mayor and Town Council, who will be available to discuss issues and answer questions. The Town will close a portion of Cheverly Ave for this early fall celebration of fresh local food and the Cheverly Community's many civic offerings and clubs. More details will follow at www.cheverlycommunitymarket.com and on the town's website and cable station.

Cheverly Green Infrastructure Plan

p.m. All are welcome.

Sept Workshop, Sat, Sept 12, 1:00 4:00 p.m. Cheverly Community Center. We have switched our usual first Monday meeting to a Saturday workshop format for this month in order focus on several sections of the plan, including the science and tree canopy/landscape portions. This will involve reviewing draft recommendations and text and making suggestions for presentation in the final green plan. For more information on the green plan initiatives and resources, please visit our website at http://cheverlygreenplan.googlepages.com/home. NOTE: Green Plan meetings are typically held the first Monday of each month. The next regular monthly meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 5, from 7:30 - 9:00

Meetings & Events

| Mon | Sep 7 | LABOR DAY | ' - Offices closed-No Trash Pickup |
|------|--------|-----------|------------------------------------|
| Tue | Sep 7 | 7:00 PM | Planning Board Meeting |
| Thur | Sep 10 | 7:00 PM | Building Usage Meeting |
| Thur | Sep 10 | 8:00 PM | TOWN MEETING |
| Tue | Sep 15 | 7:00 PM | C-PACT Meeting |
| Tue | Sep 22 | 7:00 PM | REC Council Meeting |
| Thur | Sep 24 | 7:30 PM | WORKSESSION |
| Sat | Oct 3 | 9:00 AM | Flea Market |

CHEVERLY WEBSITE cheverly-md.gov

You can easily contact the Mayor & Council through their town email accounts. There are also links at the Mayor & Council pages of the website.

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TRASH COLLECTION SCHEDULE

MON Town Wide YARD WASTE

MON East side Regular Garbage Pickup only

TUE West side Regular Garbage Pickup only

WED Town Wide RECYCLING (blue or yellow bins)

THU East side Garbage & <u>SPECIAL TRASH</u> (at curb) FRI West side Garbage & <u>SPECIAL TRASH</u> (at curb)

BAMBOO is picked up on Thu or Fri w/special trash (cut into 4' lengths, tied & bundled)

Residents should leave trash at the curb after 7:00 PM the day before pickup day.

Trash must be placed in cans with tight fitting lids to ward off rodents.



HOLIDAYS - Public Works crews DO NOT work on holidays. Collections **CANCELLED**.

ELECTRONICS are picked up on **Wednesday** with recycling. (TV's any size, computers, monitors, keyboards, etc.)

Cheverly Newsletter September 2009



 Mayor: Julia Mosley
 301-773-7891

 Ward 1: Mike Callahan
 301-772-3197

 Ward 2: Micah Watson
 240-603-9366

 Ward 3: RJ Eldridge
 301-773-7828

 Ward 4: Leon Schachter
 301-772-6244

 Ward 5: Vernell Johnson
 240-398-9251

 Ward 6: Emily Tevault
 301-583-0733

Email contact links at the website

Town Offices: (Mon-Fri, 9AM-5PM)

Administration 301-773-8360
Police Admin & Code Enforcement 301-341-1055
Public Works (M-F: 7:30-4) 301-773-2666
(TDD) 711
FAX 301-773-0173
If you need a Police Officer call: 301-333-4000

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